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Sir:

## REQUEST FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.103(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.103(b), Applicant hereby requests that examination in the above-identified application be suspended for a period of three months. This request is being filed concurrently with a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) and is accompanied by the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i).

Respectfully submitted,

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	uest for filing under Rule 53(d) is made by the following named inventor(s) (using the above-identified title): (s): NATHAN et al ease delete the following inventors in the CPA: iority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following foreign applications:		
	Application Number         Country         Day/Month/Year Fil           95/08391         France         11/July/1995           PCT/FR94/01185         WIPO         12/October/1994           PCT/FR95/01333         WIPO         12/October/1995	ļ	
* 1	□ certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) attached OR □ already filed on □ already filed in PCT/FR94/01185 filed 12/October/1994 PCT/FR95/01333 12/October/1995 □ Address all future communications to: Nixon & Vanderhye P.C., 1100 N. Glebe Road, 8 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Arlington, VA 22201 □ Applicant claims "small entity" status. □ "Small entity" statement attached. □ Please enter the previously unentered Rule 116 amendment filed on □ The Examiner's attention is directed to the prior art cited in the parent application by applicant and/or Examiner for the reasons stated therein. □ Please enter the attached and/or below preliminary amendment prior to calculation of filing fee: □ Also attached: □ Request for Suspension of Action		
	Basic Filing Fee Total effective claims 10 - 20 (at least 20) = 0 x \$ 18.00 Independent claims 1 - 3 (at least 3) = 0 x \$ 84.00 If any proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$280.00 (ignore improper)	\$ \$ \$	740.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
	Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) \$110.00/1 month; \$400.00/2 months; \$920.00/3 months)	\$	920.00
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j	Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u> , or credit overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our <b>Account No. 14-1140.</b> A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached.		
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